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TAGS: EAID, MV

SUBJECT: MALDIVIAN REQUEST FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR
AIRPORT CONSTRUCTION

REF: (A) COLOMBO 4319; (B) COLOMBO 4565

1. FOLLOWING CAREFUL REVIEW AND CONSULTATION WITH FEDERAL
AVIATION AGENCY STAFF, STATE AND AID HAVE DETERMINED THAT
USG CANNOT PROVIDE ASSISTANCE TO MALDIVIAN GOVERNMENT AS
REQUESTED IN REF A. POLICY GUIDELINES SET OUT IN CURRENT
FOREIGN AID LEGISLATION PRECLUDE DEVELOPMENT ASSISTANCE IN
THE AVIATION FIELD. FYI. THIS POLICY WAS STATED WITH RE-
GARD TO SIMILAR REQUEST FOR CIVIL AVIATION TRAINING AND
EQUIPMENT REQUEST IN 6/15/76 LETTER FROM ACTING AID
ADMINISTRATOR MURPHY TO GOM MINISTER OF TRANSPORT HASSAN
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ZAREER WHICH WAS SENT TO EMBASSY VIA AID REPRESENTATIVE ON
6/17/76 FOR TRANSMITTAL TO THE GOM. END FYI. YOU MAY WISH
TO DRAW ON LANGUAGE IN THIS LETTER IN YOUR REPLY TO GOM.

2. EMBASSY SHOULD INFORM VICE PRESIDENT SATTAR THAT HIS
REQUEST HAS RECEIVED CAREFUL AND SYMPATHETIC ATTENTION FROM
USG AGENCIES BUT THAT CURRENT GUIDELINES UNDER US FOREIGN

ASSISTANCE LEGISLATION PRECLUDE OUR OFFERING ASSISTANCE IN

THE AVIATION FIELD. HOWEVER, YOU MAY ALSO WISH TO UNDER-
SCORE OUR WILLINGNESS TO ASSIST IN PUTTING MALDIVIANS IN
TOUCH WITH PRIVATE U.S. FIRMS CAPABLE OF MEETING GOM RE-
QUIREMENTS FOR AIRPORT RECONSTRUCTION.
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